

**DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES**  
**Water Supply & Pollution Control Division - Biology Bureau**

**LAKE TROPHIC DATA**

**MORPHOMETRIC:**

Lake: KINSMAN POND	Lake Area (ha): 1.01
Town: LINCOLN	Maximum depth (m): 2.1
County: Grafton	Mean depth (m): 1.1
River Basin: Merrimack	Volume (m <sup>3</sup> ): 10500
Latitude: 44°08'10" N	Relative depth: 1.9
Longitude: 71°44'00" W	Shore configuration: 2.25
Elevation (ft): 3790	Areal water load (m/yr): 86.72
Shore length (m): 800	Flushing rate (yr <sup>-1</sup> ): 82.00
Watershed area (ha): 98.4	P retention coeff.: 0.25
% watershed ponded: 0.0	Lake type: natural

**BIOLOGICAL:**

**8 September 1994**

DOM. PHYTOPLANKTON (% TOTAL)	#1	SCHROEDERIA 45%
	#2	DICTYOSPHAERIUM 30%
	#3	COSMARIUM 20%
PHYTOPLANKTON ABUNDANCE (units/mL)		
CHLOROPHYLL-A (µg/L)		17.83
DOM. ZOOPLANKTON (% TOTAL)	#1	NAUPLIUS LARVA 65%
	#2	KERATELLA 27%
	#3	
ROTIFERS/LITER		16
MICROCRUSTACEA/LITER		35
ZOOPLANKTON ABUNDANCE (#/L)		51
VASCULAR PLANT ABUNDANCE		Scattered
SECCHI DISK TRANSPARENCY (m)		0.4
BOTTOM DISSOLVED OXYGEN (mg/L)		11.8
BACTERIA (E. coli, #/100 ml)	#1	
	#2	
	#3	

**SUMMER THERMAL STRATIFICATION:**

not stratified

Depth of thermocline (m): None  
Hypolimnion volume (m<sup>3</sup>) : None  
Anoxic volume (m<sup>3</sup>) : None

**CHEMICAL:**

Lake: KINSMAN POND

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DEPTH (m)			1.0		
pH (units)			4.5		
A.N.C. (Alkalinity)			-1.9		
NITRATE NITROGEN			0.12		
TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN			< 0.10		
TOTAL PHOSPHORUS			0.077		
CONDUCTIVITY ( $\mu$ mhos/cm)			29.5		
APPARENT COLOR (cpu)			150		
MAGNESIUM			0.22		
CALCIUM			1.0		
SODIUM			0.5		
POTASSIUM			0.16		
CHLORIDE			< 2		
SULFATE			4		
TN : TP					
CALCITE SATURATION INDEX					

All results in mg/L unless indicated otherwise

**TROPHIC CLASSIFICATION: 1994**

D.O. S.D. PLANT CHL TOTAL CLASS

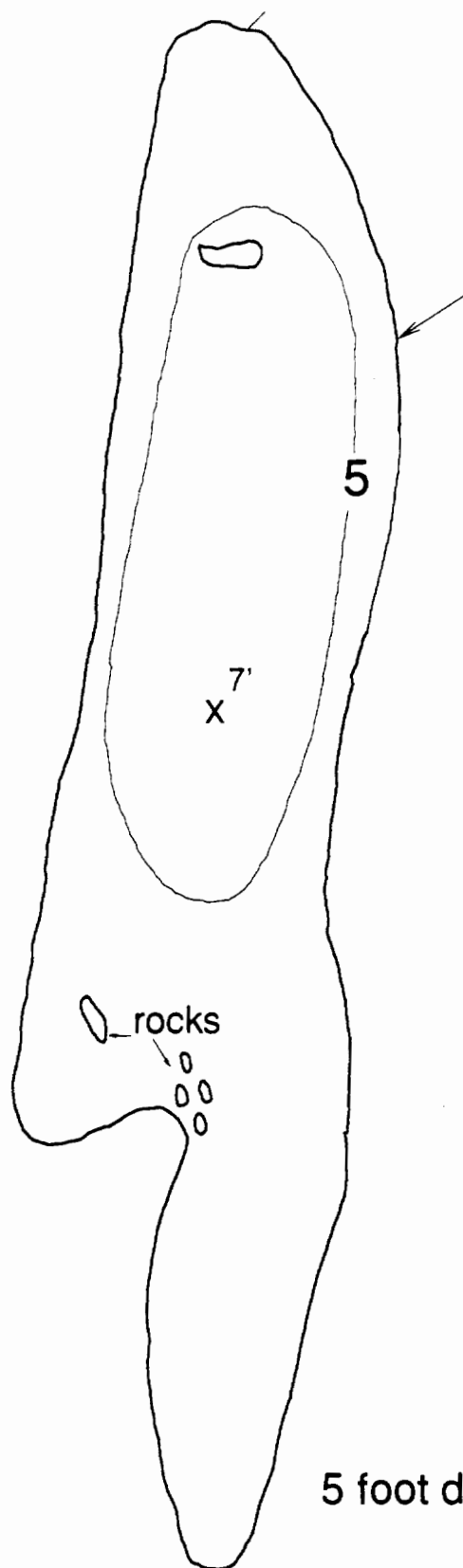
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**COMMENTS:**

1. This is a shallow remote mountain pond, located in the evening shadow of North Kinsman Mountain within the White Mountain National Forest.
2. Kinsman Pond was not sampled during the winter because of icy, treacherous trail conditions.
3. This is a darkly colored acid pond with negative buffering capacity (ANC). This condition is confirmed by previous sampling by helicopter. Somewhat unusual for a remote mountain pond were the high levels of phosphorus and the relatively high levels of algae.
4. The water appeared "murky", probably due to both algal cells and decaying organic detritus (organic acids). The poor water clarity (barely more than 1 foot) was caused by both the suspended matter (algae & detritus) and the dark color.

# Kinsman Pond

Lincoln



5 foot depth contour

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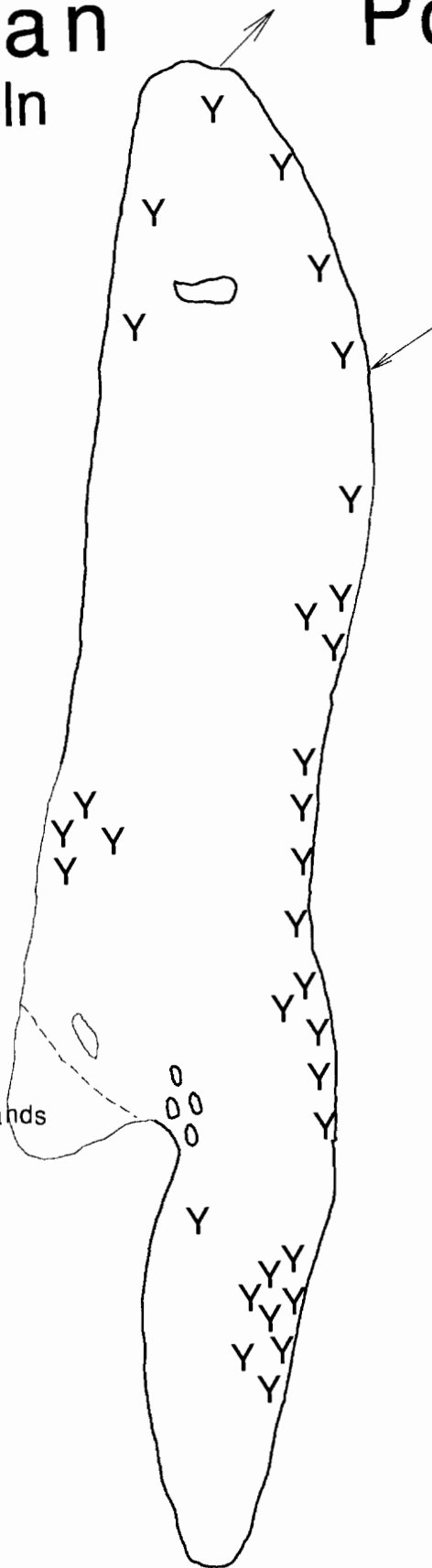
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wetlands

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